TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS Local discount rates were quoted at 5 to 7 per cent on call and time loans. The clear-ances were \$5.72.562, and the balances \$662,-885. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 26c discount bid, 15c discount asked; Chicago, 5c premium bid, 15c premium asked; Cincinnati, par bid, 25c premium asked; New Orleans, par bid, 10c premium asked; Louisville, par bid, 10c premium asked.

The local market for wheat closed lower.

The local market for wheat closed lower at 70%@71c a. May, 69%c b. July, 73@74c No. 2 red; corn closed lower at 40%c b. May, 41%c July, 41%@42c No. 2 white; oats closed at 25%@25%c May, 24c n. July, 27%@28%c

The local spot cotton market closed quiet. WASHINGTON.

General MacArthur has cabled the War Department that the alleged frauds in the Commissary Department at Manila have been much misrepresented, and that the reports are largely due to "irregularities." Five members of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition called on President McKinley Wednesday, took the oath of office, and received their commissions.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. A negro woman thief, who passed as a servant, has victimized many housewives in the vicinity of Garrison avenue and Morgan

Matron Kintzing of the Four Courts allowed a mysterious young woman who told two different stories concerning herself a The advent of spring weather in St. Louis

is well received. In the case of Mrs. Sallie E. Hillmov against the Connecticut Life Insurance

Company the Appeals Court decided in fa-Appeals Court decides in favor of the re-ceiver of an Emporia, Kas., bank and against St. Louis and New York banks. Circuit Attorney Folk will call to the at-

tention of the Grand Jury the charges of election fraud made by both political par-The favorable vote on the proposition to increase the revenue of the Public Library practically assures the enterprise.

The wind-up of the municipal campaign has stimulated the payment of World's Fair assessments, and it is believed the renewed interest taken in the project will result in the speedy incorporation of the company. The Reverend Doctor William Henry Bates, pastor of Webster Groves Presbyter-ian Church, has resigned on account of fall-

Republicans find no comfort in analyses of the election returns, their cry of fraud fail-

The Westliche-Post tells why the Republicans lost the election.

A stylishly dressed woman threw a stone brough an Olive street car window because everal cars passed without obeying her Democrats will hold a ratification meeting at the Jefferson Club Saturday night.

Miss Jennie Gilbert weds Harry H. Wylie fter holding back for three weeks. GENERAL DOMESTIC.

ffalo's careful preparation against Exsition loss by fire.

George H. Phillips was driven from the hicago wheat pit Wednesday with heavy sees, being compelled to sell 1,50,000 a. at an average loss of 1½c a bushel. He gamely withstood a strenuous attack in eats and corn and left the pit calm and

Valet Jones testified Wednesday that Law-yer Patrick agreed to commit suicide at the same time that Jones attempted to take his life in his cell, shortly after the two were arrested in connection with the al-leged Rice murder and forgaries.

The bishness portion of the sown of shigh, Ia., burned.

Jean de Ressike's voice has failed him gain, and it is said the great tenor will be unable to sing in opera again.

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School trustees of a suburb of New Haven, Conn., tried a teacher for subversion of discipline on the grounds that he amused his pupils with 'duck on davy' and other games. He was acquitted.

The first meeting of the Federal World's Pair Commissioners may be held next week. Five Commissioners took the oath Wednesday and it is expected that the members will leave Washington in time to hold their first meeting in St. Louis Thursday or Friday of next week.

Republican legislators of Illinois will hold a caucus Thursday to consider the gerrymander bills. Most of the members have given up hope of passing the measures at this session.

Horses caused a panic in the Uncle Tom's Cabin show, now playing in New York. The animals leaped off the stage into the pit and the orchestra and spectators made a wild scramble for safety.

Since it has become generally known that the steamer Rio de Jasefro, which sank just sutaide the Golden Gara, carried \$30,000 in gold, several attempts have been made by independent wreckers to find the wreck of the logi vessel.

of the lost vessel.

The election of young Honore Palmer to an Alderman's seat in the Chickgo Municipal Assembly created delight among the members of the young and among his young lady friends, who worked for him enthusiastically on elec-

FOREIGN.

SPORTING.

ad a good day's practice and training

Schorr's stable ran in great lack at Mem-phis Wednesday, annexing the Saston Ho-tel Stakes with Charles W. Meyer, two purses with Wax Taper and Lady Schorr and show money with Tammany Chief. Charles W. Meyer is the best 2-year-old uncovered at Memphic.

Duckoy was the only winning favorite at ranforan. The muddy track upset the tal-mt and the long shots carried the day. Lester Reiff is riding in great form in

Three favorites landed the coin at Ben-

The Montgomery Consolation Handicap RAILROADS.

St. Louis and East St. Louis shippers asked the Illinois Commission to change ex-lating rules regarding grain transfers at East St. Louis.

The Bouthern Pacific elected directors Huntington and Union Pacific interests are

Atchison directors will pass on the ques-ion of dividend at the May meeting.

The Southern Mississippi Valley Freight association agreed to restore rates on pack-ng-house products.

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The Central Passenger Association will meet in Chicago on April 16.

The Southern Passenger Bureau will meet bere Thursday morning.

The Eastern Syndicate will close the purchase agreement for the Monobis Route on May 15.

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Iverpool, April 2 Arrived: Lake Chamin, St. John; New Brusswick, and HallSyivia, Buston; April 3, Oceanic, New

THOMAS E. KINNEY TO BE A MUNICIPAL LEGISLATOR.

Sketch of the New Fourth Ward Representative in the House of Delegates, Who Says He Will Make His Constituents Proud of His Election.



THOMAS E. KINNEY. Elected to the House of Delegates from the Fourth Ward to Succeed "Kid" Sheridan. -By a Staff Photographer.

Thomas E. Kinney, generally known as "Bnake" Kinney, Delegate elect to the House from the Fourth Ward, was busy all Wednesday afternoon shaking hands with hosts of friends who congratulated him on his victory over William Vogel, his Republican opponent. His saloon, at the south-House from the Fourth Ward, was busy all Wednesday afternoon shaking hands with his victory over William Vogel, his Republican opponent. His saloon, at the south-west corner of Second and Carr streets. was for the nonce a reception-room in which a throng of his faithful retainers stood and sat about to discuss the events of Tues-day's election. "Snake" was a generous day's election. "Snake" was a generous host, and there was not a dry moment in the afternoon. Most of those present were well-dressed young fellows, who, "Snake" explained, have known him since boyhood. When asked about the rumor of his intended removal to "sweller" quarters in the heart of town, Kinney replied that he had thought of a change of location, but that he is now without the money to accomplish it, and he says he will not get into debt in an effort to get a better neighborhood.

Thomas E. Kinney is usually pictured by the partisan press, and generally believed to be, a beetle-brown ruffian, coarse of

His eyes are gray and frank in expression. Strength and courage are indicated in his square jaws and chin. He dresses well, and is all together, a good-looking

man.

Touching on the election, he said:

"Every time a Democrat wins the Republicans yell fraud. They are hard losers. My election was squarely gained, and I believe the earliest ballots cast for me were those of the Republican judges and clerks.

"I was born and raised in this ward, and the boys stood by me. A great many people think I am a thug, but I'll show them that I'll be a credit to the Fourth Ward and the whole city."

Thomas E. Kinney's constituency is the most cosmopolitan in St. Louis. It is composed of Russian Jews, Poles, Italians, Irish, Germans and a sprinkling from almost every country in Europe.

set Rice murder and forgeries. Itembers of the Vanderbilt family have send John W. Gates \$1,000,000 for the site which he proposes to erect a marble hood. The Vanderbilts do not want a hotel acing their palatial homes. New York City has instituted a movement squinst streat our bogs. Several agreets for splitting on the floors of street cars have the name. HAS MADE \$250,000

Reported to Have Cleared Up That Amount in Wall -Street-Ladies' Tailor Story Denied.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Philadelphia, April 3.-The North American says to-day that James G. Blaine, Jr., has cleared up \$250,000 in Wall street in the past three weeks. It is said that he has been devoting all the time he could spare from social duties in Washington and news

paper work to dealing in stocks. Mr. Blaine is very angry about the re port that he has turned ladies' tailor and become a member of the firm of Stein & Blaine, which has a big place opposite the Waldorf-Astoria.

A. O'Farrell, his friend, says:
"That tailor story is ridiculous. Blaine is a genius. The people who are trying to be-little him in the eyes of the public will awaken some day to a realization of the fact that he is a more brilliant man than

FOR ARKANSAS'S UNIVERSITY.

The Senate Has Passed a Bill Appropriating \$100,000.

HEPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., April 3.—The Senate Wednesday afternoon passed the State University appropriation bill, carrying \$100,000 for the support of the institution for the next two years. The bill for the support of the State Insane Asylum for the sume period was introduced in the House by Mr. Whithorne.

The Senate laid on the table the Parks bill, providing that counties interested shall pay the salaries of Chancellors.

Senator Price introduced a bill to prevent the harboring of criminals. The fine is placed at from \$100 to \$1,000 for a violation of the law.

Senator Short introduced a bill which places legal rate of interest at 7 per cent per year and makes contracts for a greater rate void as to both principal and interest. It was read twice and placed on the calendar.

endar.

The following bills passed the House:

To legalise the official acts of County
Clerks appointed by Governor Jones under
the 1900 Federal census; to repeal the act
creating the Plum Bayou levee district in
Pulaski, Lonoke and Jefferson counties;
authorizing the County Courts to allow
claims incurred in the suppression of smallpox; appropriating \$10,000 to redigest the
laws of the State, digester to receive \$3,000
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The proposed constitutional amendment by Mr. Gannaway to exempt from taxation for seven years all woolen and cotton factories was defeated by a large majority.

The House spent the greater portion of the afternoon session considering the Humphrey bill, to cancel all contracts made with the Penitentiary Board prior to the advent of the present administration, last January. No vote was reached. Several bills of minor importance were introduced in the House.

CITIZENSHIP RULING.

Court's Opinion Affects Many in the Indian Territory.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

South McAlester, I. T., April 3.—Federal Judge Clayton, sitting in chambers Wednesday, made an order that will be far-reaching in its effect, in that it compels the Dawes Commission to enroll "court citizens" whose cases have been tried before the Federal court and their claims established in such court.

There were three cases under hearing. The first was Rebecca C. Harrison and her children and grandchildren. They were admitted by the court to be citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but the Dawes Commission refused to enroll them because they were nonresidents. A writ of mandamus was granted to compel the commission to enroll these claimants, even into the third generation. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Crude Oil Tumbles Again. Lima, O., April 3.—The crude oil market took another tumble Wednesday—the result, it is thought, of the big well drilled in here by the Gilbert Oil Company on the Fruch

farm. Eastern oll went down 2 and Lima cent a barrel. The prices are now: S ima and Indiana 86; North Lima 91.

ORPHAN ASYLUM MANAGERS.

St. Louis Protestant Board Selects Officers and Committees.

At the annual meeting of the St. Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum Board, held last Tuesday afternoon at the residence of George E. Leighton, No. 803 North Garrison avenue, officers and managers of the asylum for the year were elected. Mrs. William W. Stickney was elected president and Mmes. Charles H. Wyman, A. J. Steele and H. I. Stagg vice presidents.

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Mrn. Fritz Nisbet was elected secretary and Miss C. A. Tilden treasurer, while Mrs. Kate W. Gore was elected recorder. Misses Avery and Copp and Mmes. A. Lee, R. Hunicke, F. P. Hays, H. McK. Wilson, H. L. Morrill, George B. Leighton and Charles Nagel were elected managers.

Mrs. Lewis P. Balley and Mrs. P. J. Teasdale were chosen advisory managers, and George S. Drake, George E. Leighton, E. C. Rowse, M. S. Forbes and John P. Kaiser were elected to the Advisory and Investment Committee; John M. Holmes and Paul Coste were elected legal advisers, while Doctor Marshall Baker was appointed physician. Mrs. George K. Budd, Mrs. T. B. Edgar and Miss Ellen McKee were elected henorary members of the board.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF AMERICA

District Convention at Which Of ficers Are Chosen. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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Decatur, Ill., April 3.4The district convention of the Fraternal Army of Americal was held Wednesday afternoon. Sixty-five delegates from different parts of the Seventeenth Congressional District were here. The following officers for the district were chosen: Commander, O. D. Spotts, Springfield; lieutenant commander, Doctor Moffield; lieutenant co held; lieutenant commander, Doctor Mof lett, Blue Mound; adjutant, Mrs. Ella J Kinney, Taylorville; quartermaster, R. F. Davidson, Decatur; chaplain, Reverend Mr. Bickers, Warrensburg; corporal of guard, E. T. Shrout, Palmer; inner post, W. T. Bridges, Taylorville; outer post, E. F. O'Farrell, Pana. A resolution indorsing the administration of the retiring officers was passed.

WARRANT'ISSUED FOR EVERSON. Man Who Killed His Daughter May Die.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Warfield of St. Louis County Wednesday issued a warrant against William Everson, who shot and killed his 3-year-old daughter at Meramec Heights Tuesday morning. The warrant charged murder in the first degree. It was sworn to by Coroner Armstrong.

Sheriff Hencken went to the place Wednesday night and placed Everson under arrest. He is only constructively a prisoner, as his condition is too precarious to admit his removal.

SWINDLERS PLEAD GUILTY. Springfield Men Admit Using Mails

Improperly.

Chief Post Office Inspector Dice received word Wednesday that John L. Woods, Geo. D. Dulaney, James H. Butcher, C. R. Dulaney and H. H. Ball pleaded guilty in the United States District Court at Springfield, Mo., to the charge of having used the mails to defraud. Several St. Louis firms were victimized.

After La Grippe-What? Usually a racking cough and a general feeling of weakness. Foley's Honey and Tar is guaranteed to cure the "grippe cough" and make you strong and well. Helena Sewerage Contract Let.

Helena. Ark., April 2.—The contract for the building for the sewerage system of Helena was let to-day to Guild & Co., Chatoners. The bid was \$55,132.

Surrender of Alleged Moonshiner. republic special.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 3.—J. New, an alleged moonshiner, came to town to-night and voluntarilly surrendered himself to Deputy Marshal Suddith.

Death of Mrs. Anna Holdman.

OSTEOPATHY. DRS. ECKERT & WIRT,

Graduates of the A. T. Still Institute of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo. All chronic diseases treated without the use of drugs. Among our patients are many of the best people of St. Louis, who have failed to get relief by any other treatment, and have been cured by Osteopathy. Consultation and examination free. Hours—8 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Sundays.

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DR. PREETORIUS TELLS WHY REPUBLICANS LOST ELECTION.

Wednesday morning, under the heading for organization much of the cerdit is due "The Result of the Election," the Westliche passionately reviewing the causes of Parker's defeat and ascribing as a main cause the support of the Ziegenhein gang at the City Hall.

"The election is over and the entire Democratic ticket is elected by a big majority. And, as after every election, autopsies are being held, and one tries to explain why this or the other ticket has been defeated or elected.

"Many citizens, to whom the result has peen disappointing, feel dissatisfied, and while in this condition are likely to express injust opinions. But after they have considered the whole matter and have quieted down they will view things differently and will accept the inevitable with the consolation that "vox populi, vox De!," the voice of the people is the voice of God.

"So many questions have played a part in this election that a resume is difficult. Six tickets were in the field and a hot fight has been waged for weeks. Not for twenty-five years has a campaign been conducted along such personal lines.

"On the Democratic side it was asserted that Parker was an enemy to organized laoor, that he was in reality only a substitute for Ziegenhein, and that after his election the Ziegenhein machine in the City Hall would remain at the helm. Every one who knew Parker personally was confident that he could not be influenced by any man after his election, but, a great mass of the people cculd not believe this and sided in opinion with the Democrats, holding Parker responsible for the misdoings of the Ziegenhein machine, which cried to heaven, and punishing him, though innocent, for the same.

"Another reason for Parker's defeat can be found in the fact that Meriwether enjoyed the support of the organized workmen of the city, who wished to show their appreclation of the services rendered them last

"The support of the Ziegenhein machine, the animosity of organized labor towards the Transit Company and the votes cast for Meriwether are the causes of Mr. Parker's defeat.

"The plurality received by the Democratic ticket is too large to permit the assertion that Parker would have been elected but for election frauds. The fact remains that a large number of citizens who have always of a thorough cleaning out of the City Hall and cast their votes accordingly. One fact is certain-St. Louis is a Republican city, and the result of the election is the result of mismanagement on the part of the Ziegto rut an end to the street railway Mo-

for the Democratic victory. He has found-Post published the following editorial, dis- ed through the Police Department that which will correspond to the Tammany of New York. Whether this Harry Hawes will be a second Croker remains to be seen -in any case, he will play a part in city affairs a la Croker, which will give him great power in St. Louis politics. "The election has proven that the Repub-

lican party must be rid of all parasites which have attached themselves to it during the last few years and have brought the city into a condition which is responsiple for the defeat of such an able man as Mr. Parker. George W. Parker would have been a good Mayor and would have given the city an excellent administration; but Republican mismanagement in the last four years was enough to cause the defeat of a man possessing even greater ability, if such one could have been found."

WENNEKER WILL NOT CONTEST.

Felicitates His Opponent, L. F Hammer, Jr., on Election.

Charles F. Wenneker, City Collector, and defeated candidate for re-election on the Republican ticket, will not contest the election of L. F. Hammer, Jr., the Democratic candidate.

Mr. Wenneker came to this conclusion as soon as he was made aware of the result of the election. He so announced himself to a party of friends, including members of both parties, at a dinner Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Hammer, the successful candidate, was among those present. The others were Sheriff Dickmann, C. M. Selph, Henry Quelimalz, S. P. Wells of New York, a distant relative of the Mayor-elect, and one or two others.

Your election comes as a result of the votes of the people, Mr. Hammer," said Collector Wenneker, "and I shall not contest it. Your campaign was conducted on a clean basis, and the voters of St. Louis

seem to prefer you to me. "I bow to their will, and as soon as I can take stock and set things to rights in my flice I am ready to turn it over to you. We have always been friends, and I wish to prove to you that I shall be your friend in the future. If there is anything I can do for you, rest assured it will not be left undone.'

Mr. Hammer answered Mr. Wenneker by sayinf that he would be ready to take charge of the office just as soon as Mr. Wenneker sees fit to turn it over.

night saw that the ballots had been cast in favor of the Democratic ticket, and he abor, who consdered Meriwether the man it is who takes the view that the people have spoken at the polls and have declared that the Democrats shall control the offices "Harry Hawes is a man to whose talent at the City Hall for the next four years

THE PATRICK-RICE CASE.

Continued From Page One.

fore the death of Rice certain oil wells in ary. Mr. Osborne and Mr. Battle were Texas, in which he was interested, were destroyed by fire. Rice resolved to rebuild them and bound himself to provide nearly \$200,000 for the rebuilding. On the strength of this the oil well people drew for \$25,000 the draft being payable on Monday, Septem-

ber 24. Jones testified that Patrick wished to avoid the payment of this money. "I said," witness continued, "on Saturday that the old man would probably drop off. Patrick said we could not rely on that, but had to get him out of the way the next

Circumstances of First Confession. Jones further testified that some time between October 25 and October 30 he was taken to the District Attorney's office and kept until 3 o'clock in the morning, making his first confession. Assistant District Attorney Osborne produced the statement made by Jones on that occasion, and it was marked for identification.

Mr. Moore asked the witness whether

he could swear this was the statement he had made to Mr. Osborne. "I could not swear positively unless you recall some of the features." "Did you not think when you made a

false statement that it would be well to remember it, so as to be able to repeat it?" "I cannot say what I thought," Jones What did you think when you chloro-

formed old Rice, your benefactor—did you think that was right?" asked Mr. Moore. "I cannot say what I thought." "Did you say that you did not think any ne saw Patrick and Rice together on the day before the latter's death unless it was Maria Scott, the colored scrub woman?'
"I may have said so without using the

name of the woman," witness replied,
"Did you say that Short and Mayers witnessed the will?" "I think I made such a statement."
"Did you say that old man Rice had in-structed Patrick to draw a new will?"

Stands by Former Statements. "I have made such a statement," witness "Do you mean to say that Patrick called

at your louse as often as once a week, or sometimes more often, from November, 1893, to September 22, 1900, without ever "I don't know how many times Patrick may have seen Mr. Rice. I said that to my knowledge Patrick never saw Rice except

"Some time during the spring or summer of 1900." Questioned by Justice Jerome, witness said the time when Rice, according to Tues-day's testimony, saw Patrick in the parlor, was one of these occasions.

Jones then in answer to questions, denied that other statements made by him in the confession were true.

Lawyer Moore asked Mr. Osborne for the

Lawyer Moore asked Mr. Osborne for the stenographic notes of the statement Jones made to McClusky. Mr. Osborne replied that he did not have the stenographic notes, but had a typewritten copy of the witness's statement to Captain McClusky, which he said he was willing to let Mr. Moore have.

Promises Made to Jenes.

Mr. Noore the pressed to the crisinal Mr. Moore then passed to the original complaint, in which Jones swore that Patrick administered "mercurial and other polsons" to Rice, thus causing his death. "Did you not know when you swore to

those other poisons were?" The question was objected to, but was llowed.
"I did not, unless it was oxalic acid," "Did you not know that you had chloroformed old man Rice?" asked Mr. Moore. Mr. Osborne objected. "When did you make your confession?"
"At the House of Detention, last Jasu-

What promise was made you to get you to make this confession?"

A good many promises have been made me, but none of a definite nature "Do you mean to tell me that you willingly made this confession, knowing that it will bring you to the electric chair?" I did not exactly think it would bring me to the chair," witness faltered.
"Do you know that murder—the crime to

which you have confessed—if it could be es-tablished, is punishable by electrocution in "I do, yes."
Unmerciful Cross-Examination. Witness finally said that he made this onfession because he would not perjure

himself and because Mr. Battle, his attor-ney, had told him if he told anything he "Mr. Battle told me," witness said, "that if I told the truth I would receive less

"Did not Mr. Battle tell you that he had received assurances to that effect from

"Did not Mr. Battle tell you that he had seen Mr. Osborne, and that his promise was the result of a talk with him?" "He said Mr. Osborne said I had told so many stories and none of them could be corroborated. Mr. Battle told me I must tell

the truth, if my story was to be corrob "You wanted your story that you chloroformed poor old Rice corroborated?" asked

"I suppose it would have to be corrob-orated to be believed," witness said, "You wanted to be corroborated to set hung?" broke in Mr. Moore. this statement your puntithment would be less sovere; that, in fact, you would es-cape death?"

"I was told that nothing could be done for me unless I told the truth," the witness Adjournment was taken until Thursday. Price Current's Statistics.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Cincinnati, O., April 3.—Price Current says
Western packers handled 395,000 hogs the
past week, compared with 385,000 the preceding week, and 390,000 last year. From
March 1 the total is 1,485,000, against 1,520,000
a year ago. Prominent places compare as
follows:

GO TO CALIFORNIA.

\$27.50-Personally Conducted Excursions—\$27.50.

April 2, 0, 16, 28 and 30, via M., K.

& T. Ry. Pamphicts and information at No. 103 North Breadway.

Newspaper Men as Delegates.

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RIJUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mexico, Mo., April 1.—Wes L. Robertson, president of the Missouri Press Association, has, through Corresponding Secretary R. M. White of this city, announced the following delegates to the National Editorial Association, which meets in Buffalo, N. Y., June II. Bill: T. T. Wilson, Avalanche, Tarkio; Tom L. Cannon, Manufacturer, St. Louis; Geo. W. Trigs, Conservator, Richmond; S. A. Pierce, Pointers, Kansas City; J. W. Jones, Gazette, Brockfield, Missouri will also have representatives at the National Editorial Association from the district associations. The members of the Executive Committee and ex-President E. W. Stephens, ex-President E. W. Stephens, ex-President Malter Williams and R. M. White of the Missouri Association will also attend.

New Spring Goods.

Parasols.

Plain and embroidered Shantung Silk; plain Taffetas, with ruf-fled borders; Plain and Fancy Tucked Taffetas; Persian Liberty Satin-in a great variety of faucy handles, including the Club

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Paris Novelty Parasols. Our Own Importation.

Taffetas, Moire, Chiffon and Satin Coverings, elaborately trimmed with lace and black and white applique, in a variety of handsome designs on colors, assorted novelty handles,

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WITH PLAGIARISM.

Emmett Bishop Dismissed From State University by the Discipline Committee.

WON AT JEFFERSON CITY.

Participant at the Recent Intercollegiate Contest Dug Up Old Oration and Sent It to the

College Faculty.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Columbia, Mo., April 2.—The Discipline Committee of the Missouri University fac-ulty has, after due deliberation, dismissed rom school Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood Mo., charged with plagiarizing the oratio delivered by him at the recent intercollegiate oratorical contest at Jefferson City before the last General Assembly. The oration was of extraordinally merit for a

college production, and was an easy winner

Mr. Bishop, representing Missouri University, receiving first place, and Mr. Brown of Tarkio College second. Mr. Bishop had received the honor of repesenting Missouri University by winning irst place in the annual intersociety contest held at Missouri University for the purpose of selecting a representative to peak at Jefferson City. His friends are egion and there are very many here who still stoutly protest that he is innocent.

On his return from Jefferson City Mr. Blahop was duly libnized here, until a letter from Tarkio College, one of those represented at Jefferson City, put an end to all rejoicing in Columbia.

The letter was addressed to President R. The letter was addressed to President R. H. Jesse. It accused Mr. Bishop of plagfarising his bration from one delivered here in 1886 by a representative of Westminnter College at Futon. The letter contained clipings of the orations in parallel columns. President Jesse at once sent the letter and clippings to the Discipline Committee, which is composed of Professors M. T. Lipscomb, B. F. Hoffman and Doctor Woodson Moss. The committee investigated the case, and, after questioning Mr. Bishop, who pleaded not guilty, decided that the evidence was conclusive and dismissed the

dence was conclusive and dismissed the young man from the university.

Mr. Bishop was a law student, and Judge Alex. Martin, dean of the law department, spoke regretfully of him, Judge Martin took rather a lenient view of the matter, and said that, in his opinion, a very large percent of college orations are plagiarised. He added that plagiarism is not a crime by law, and can only be punished by a suit for damages. damages.
President Jesse was more severe. He said:
"I believe that it is for the good of the university that a student guilty of plagiarism be at once expelled. Should be remain in school there is danger that other students may be contaminated. No one feels more sympathy for Mr. Bishop than myself, and he will be welcome to return next year, but he will not be admitted until he expresses repentance and willingness to reform."

Mr. Bishop declined to be faiterviewed.

FOR STRICTER MARRIAGE LAWS Tri-State Medicos Elect Dr. Mur

phy of St. Louis President.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Keckuk, Ia., April 2.—The Tri-State Medical Society, composed of members of the profession from lowa, littings and Missouri, closed one of the most important conventions of its history here to-night. The principal feature of the convention was the inauguration of a movement for the ensetment of strict marriage laws, and also to prevent the marriage of habitual circulants. This action was forenadowed by the address of the retiring president. Decise

Murphy of St. Lesia, Doctor D. C. Brockman of Ottumws, and Doctor Frank P.
Norbury of Galesburg, was appointed to
present this matter at the next session of
the Legislatures of their respective States.

The next convention will be held in Chicago. The following are the newly elected
officers; President, Doctor J. C. Murphy
of St. Louis; first vice president, Doctor
Bayard Holmes of Chicago; second vice
president, Doctor Ellet Orin Simon of Esc
kuk; treasurer, Doctor J. F. Percy of
Galesburg; secretary, Doctor W. B. Laforce of Ottumwa; Committee on Credatials, Doctor Henry Hatch of Quincy, Ill.,
Doctors T. H. Thockmorton of Chariestee,
Is., and John Preston of Kansae City.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS.

Illinois Towns and Villages Select Local Candidates.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 1.—Nominations have been made for village officers in Expenser as follows: License tickst—Doctor G. Y. Hord, President; P. C. Keishner, Clerk; I. S. McDonald, Police Magistrate; J. E. Willmirth, Frank Biggs and J. S. Apple, Tracters Anti-License Ticket — Thomas Allises, President; Lee Dunn, Clerk; C. E. Dunn, J. M. Tidnell and G. E. Corners, Trustees. SAYLOR SPRINGS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Clay City, Ill., April 1.—The following muricipal tickets have been neminated at
Saylor Springs, to be voted on Tuesday,
April 16.
Temperance—President, Henry Weldner; April 16.
Temperance—President, Henry Weidner;
Clerk, Edward Neal; Trustees, Geo. Mitchell, Frank Wyatt and Milo Weinmack; Pelice Magistrate, J. J. Anderzon.
Anti-License—President, Alfred Conley;
Clerk, Ally Conley; Trustees, Lewis Warren, Wm. Kirk and Alex. Tuck; Police Magistrate, Chas. O. Raley,

Homan—Frentise.

De Soto., Mo., April 3.—At the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, J. Carter Homan and Miss Elisabeth Frentise were married. The bride is the only damphter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frentise, and Mr. Homan, who is an attache of the De Sete Republican, is a son of Capt. J. B. Homas, an old time river man.

Will Recognize the Union.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 3—The strike of the garment workers in Wood's overall and shirt factory was settled Wednesday evening and five hundred operatives will return to work Thursday. Manager Powell signed the agreement, recognizing the union at 6 o'clock. The strike was declared a month ago.

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